

PATENT
IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE
(Case No. 02-076)

In the Application of:

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	Elliott, et al.)	Before the Examiner:
)	Hamud, F
Serial No.	10/076,260)	Group Art Unit: 1647
Filed:	February 14, 2002)	
For:	G-Protein Coupled Receptor Molecules and Uses Thereof)	Confirmation No.: 9883
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Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

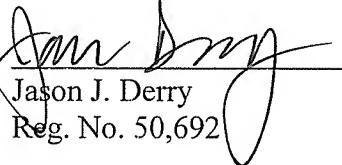
PETITION FOR A FIVE-MONTH EXTENSION OF TIME

Applicants request a Five-Month Extension of Time to extend the period of reply to and including May 27, 2006. Please charge the requisite amount of \$2160.00 for an Extension fee under 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a), pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.17 to Deposit Account No. 13-2490. The Commissioner is authorized to charge any additional fees or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 13-2490.

Respectfully submitted,
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Dated: May 26, 2006

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